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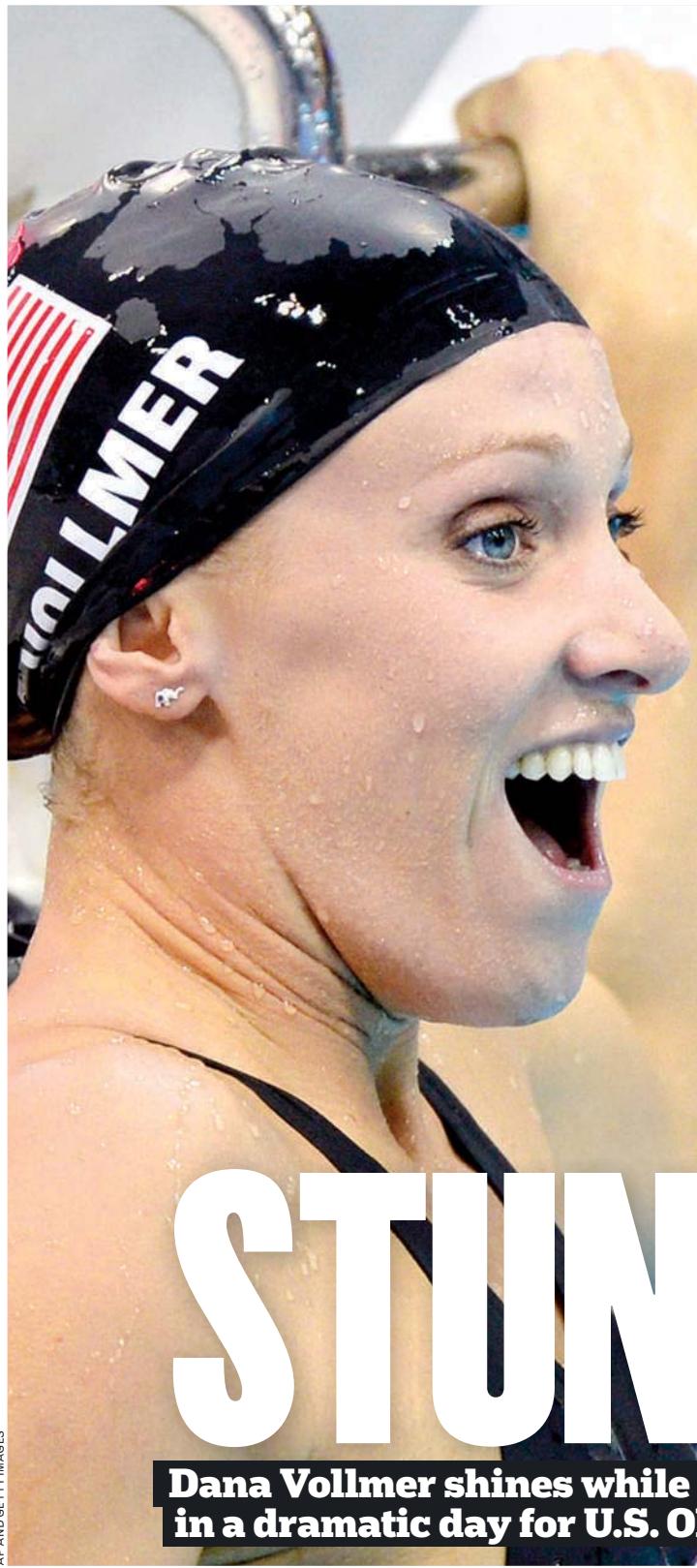


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SIBLINGS**In All Fairness, She Did Steal His Cupcake That One Time**

A New Mexico man is facing charges after police say he confessed to stealing from his sister. Jamy Malone reported that someone used a rock to break a window and steal a number of items, including a 32-inch TV, a laptop, two Navajo rugs, DVDs and a Navajo basket. She told deputies that her brother, Joshua Malone, later called her to admit that he stole the items. (AP)

ANTI-BIKINI ACTIONS**First Olympic Women's Beach Volleyball, and Now This!**

Only an itsy-bitsy, teeny-weeny number of bikini-wearers turned out to strut their stuff in Madison Lake, Minn., on Saturday. Organizers had hoped for hundreds of women to march in what was billed as the World's Largest Bikini Parade. Only 39 women (and men in bikini tops) showed up; the record stands at 451. (AP)

POSSIBLE USES?**Sprinkle Liberally in the Underwear of Your Enemies**

Too busy for a vacation, but long for a beach? Try Poland, where you can take home as much Baltic Sea sand as you want for free. Authorities say the pure, light sand in the town of Leba is up for grabs after moving dunes in the Slowinski National Park started to clog up the beach and local waterways. (AP)

The Big Picture

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MORE HATS THAN THE ROYAL WEDDING: Fans from around the world dressed outlandishly to support their nations at the Olympics in London over the weekend. No item of headgear, however, as yet to out-ugly the abomination atop Princess Beatrice's head at Prince William and Kate Middleton's 2011 wedding.

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Amped Up to Run in Games

South Africa's Oscar Pistorius, a double amputee, will make his Olympic debut in the 400-meter Saturday. A court has ruled that blades attached to his artificial legs are not an unfair advantage.

James Holmes' Arraignment

James Holmes, the suspect in the deadly Colorado shootings, is scheduled to be formally charged Monday in Aurora District Court. It could take a year before the case goes to trial.

Smartphone Showdown

Apple Inc. and Samsung Electronics Co. will square off in federal court Monday in a closely watched trial over control of the U.S. smartphone and tablet markets.

Nation

In Israel, Romney Talks Tough

Candidate says U.S. has duty to block Iran from nuclear capability

Jerusalem

Standing on Israeli soil, U.S. presidential candidate Mitt Romney on Sunday declared Jerusalem to be the capital of the Jewish state and said the United States has "a solemn duty and a moral imperative" to block Iran from achieving nuclear weapons capability.

"Make no mistake, the ayatollahs in Iran are testing our moral defenses," he said. "They want to know who will object and who will look the other way. We will not look away nor will our country ever look away from our passion and commitment to Israel."

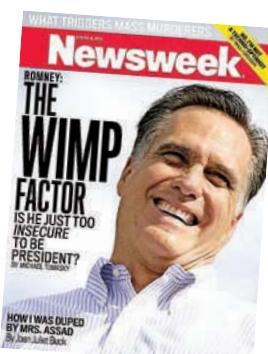
The presidential election hovered over the speech. The Old City formed a made-for-television backdrop behind Romney, while some of his campaign donors listened in the audience, including Sheldon Adelson, the American businessman who has said he will donate millions to help elect Romney to the White House.

Romney's embrace of Israel was on display earlier in the day when he met with Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and other leaders. He also visited the Western Wall, Judaism's holiest site, where he was mobbed by worshippers. In addition, Romney



LIOR MIZRAHI/GETTY IMAGES

During his visit to Israel, Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney stands at the Western Wall in Jerusalem's Old City on Sunday. The wall is Judaism's holiest site.



Newsweek Labels Romney

Mitt Romney tells CBS' "Face the Nation" that he isn't sweating the upcoming Newsweek magazine cover that leads with "Romney: The Wimp Factor." The U.S. presidential candidate says the media tried a similar criticism of President George H.W. Bush, and he says Bush "was a pretty great president" who was not a wimp. Romney says that if he worried about what reporters thought of him, he wouldn't get much sleep. He says he's sleeping just fine. (AP)

met with Palestinian Prime Minister Salam Fayyad.

In his remarks, Romney steered clear of overt criticism of President Obama, even though he said the threat of a nuclear-armed Iran "has only become worse" in the past five years. The former Massachusetts governor also stepped back from a comment a senior aide made a short while before the speech.

"We recognize Israel's right to defend itself," he told the audience. Earlier, the aide, Dan Senor, previewed the speech for reporters, saying that "if Israel has to take action on its own, in order to stop Iran from developing the capability, the governor would respect that decision."

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In Brief

MIAMI

Police Searching for Man Who Shot, Wounded 3



Miami police are searching for a man who they say shot at least three people. Detective William Moreno said Sunday that 23-year-old Erin Cash is wanted on charges of attempted murder. Moreno said Cash was driving with a woman and a child when the woman jumped out of the car. Cash then went to visit family members, Moreno said, and started shooting, wounding at least three people. (AP)

EVERGLADES CITY, FLA.

Man Who Lost Hand While Feeding Gator Is Charged

Florida airboat captain Wallace Weatherholt, whose hand was bitten off by a 9-foot alligator, faces charges of feeding the animal. Weatherholt was attacked in June as he was giving a tour of the Everglades to a family. According to the family, Weatherholt hung a fish over the side of the boat when the gator attacked. Feeding alligators is a misdemeanor. (AP)

CHARLESTON, S.C.

Debris From Boeing 787 Sparks Fire on Runway

Federal officials are trying to determine why debris fell from the engine of a new

Boeing 787 Dreamliner on Saturday, starting a fire and forcing officials to shut down a South Carolina airport. Boeing spokeswoman Candy Eslinger says the aircraft was undergoing preflight runway testing. No injuries were reported. (AP)

TACOMA, WASH.

Teens Sue Backpage.com

Three Washington teens who say they were sold online for sex have sued the website Backpage.com, accusing the owners of enabling their exploitation. Backpage, owned by Village Voice Media in New York, is a popular online destination for escort services. The suit alleges that photos of the girls appeared in ads on the site, paid for by their pimps. (AP)

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Little Progress On Food Safety

Data show infection rates have steadied or increased through '11

Washington

Little progress has been made in combating many types of food-borne illnesses in recent years, according to new federal data, an outcome that food safety advocates say underscores the need to put into place the landmark food-safety bill signed by President Obama more than a year ago.

The most recent figures from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention show that the rates of infections linked to four out of five key pathogens it tracks — salmonella, vibrio, campylobacter and listeria — remained relatively steady or increased from 2007 through 2011. The exception is a strain of E. coli, which has been tied to fewer illnesses in the same time frame.

The results frustrated consumer advocates, who along with industry groups pushed for passage of the Food Safety Modernization Act, which empowers the Food and Drug Administration to prevent food-borne illnesses instead of simply reacting to them. Obama signed the legislation in January 2011.

But the administration has not met the deadlines for releasing draft rules needed to implement



The good news: Rates for a strain of E. coli have been tied to fewer illnesses from 2007 through 2011.

key provisions of the law, including one that would mandate that food imported into this country meet the same safety standards as food produced domestically.

“Everyone was hoping that this new food safety law would be in place and we'd start seeing improvements by now,” said Erik Olson, a director at the Pew Health Group. “What these CDC numbers show is that unless new protections are put into place, millions of Americans are going to continue to get sick from contaminated food.”

The CDC charts and graphs were posted online Friday. The data are compiled annually to show trends for infections commonly transmitted through food and to guide policy decisions. **DINA ELBOGHADY**
(THE WASHINGTON POST)

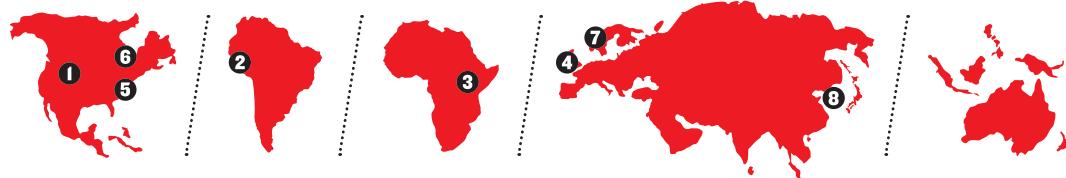
Hearsay



“I like Governor Palin. I’ve met her. I know her... But ... I don’t think she passed that test ... of being ready to take over. And I think that was a mistake.”

— FORMER VICE PRESIDENT DICK CHENEY, SUGGESTING DURING AN INTERVIEW WITH ABC NEWS THAT SEN. JOHN MCCAIN’S DECISION TO CHOOSE SARAH PALIN AS HIS VICE-PRESIDENTIAL RUNNING MATE WASN’T “WELL-HANDED.” THE INTERVIEW WILL AIR MONDAY.

Weekend Review



1 DENVER

Victim in Colo. Shooting Spree Has Miscarriage

A woman who was critically wounded in the Colorado theater shooting that left her 6-year-old daughter dead has had a miscarriage. The family of Ashley Moser said in a statement Saturday that she is recovering but that the trauma caused the miscarriage. (AP)

2 LIMA, PERU

U.S. Climbers Found Dead

Searchers on Saturday found the bodies of Gil Weiss, 29, and Ben Horne, 32, two U.S. mountaineers who apparently plunged to their deaths off a ridge after ascending a glacier-capped 20,000-foot Peruvian peak, the rescue coordinator said. (AP)

3 KAMPALA, UGANDA

Ebola Outbreak Kills 14

The deadly Ebola virus has killed 14 people in western Uganda this month, Ugandan health officials said Saturday, ending weeks of speculation about the cause of a strange disease that had many people fleeing their homes. There is no cure or vaccine for Ebola, and the disease killed 224 people in Uganda in 2000. (AP)



4 Games Kick Off With a Bang

Fireworks ignite over Olympic Stadium during Friday's Opening Ceremonies, which climaxed with seven teenagers lighting the Olympic cauldron in London. The ceremonies featured a mix of British music and pop-culture icons, including Mary Poppins and Voldemort. (AP)

5 "We got a problem because we've got a president who's all foam and no beer."

— FORMER MINN. GOV. TIM PAWLENTY, DURING A RALLY FOR PRESUMED GOP PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE MITT ROMNEY IN RALEIGH, N.C., ON SATURDAY. PAWLENTY, A POTENTIAL RUNNING MATE FOR ROMNEY, SAID PRESIDENT OBAMA HAS FAILED TO LIVE UP TO HIS PROMISE OF CHANGING WASHINGTON.



6 ROCHESTER, MINN.

Clinic: Jackson Being Treated for Depression

Illinois Congressman Jesse Jackson Jr., whose whereabouts hadn't been disclosed since he quietly took a medical leave from Congress several weeks ago, is being treated for depression at the Mayo Clinic in Minnesota, according to a statement released by the hospital late Friday. (AP)

7 OSLO, NORWAY

Snoop Dogg Denied Entrance Over Marijuana

A lawyer representing Snoop Dogg says the American rapper has been banned from entering Norway for two years after trying to enter the country with a small amount of marijuana last month. (AP)

8 SEOUL, S. KOREA

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The number of cellphone customers whose personal information was allegedly stolen by two men whom South Korea police arrested Sunday. Officials said it was one of the country's biggest hacking schemes ever. (AP)



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Syrian Opposition Holds Aleppo

Regime lashes out at neighbors as rebels call for influx of arms

Beirut

Syrian tanks and artillery pounded rebel-held neighborhoods in the commercial hub of Aleppo on Sunday in a bid to retake control as President Bashar Assad's regime accused regional powerhouses Saudi Arabia, Qatar and Turkey of trying to destroy the country.

Activists say opposition fighters control large swathes of territory across Syria's largest city. The government has been struggling for a week to beat back their assault and stem the tide of recent rebel advances in the civil war.

The head of the main opposition group, the Syrian National Council, called for international help in arming the rebels to face the regime's heavy weaponry.

"If the international community cannot act, they should support the opposition with anti-tanks missiles and anti-aircraft rockets," Abdel Basset Sida told the Gulf News dur-



Fighting is also raging in Daraa province, near the Jordanian border. Above, a Syrian military tank appears in the province.

"Israel is the mastermind of all in this crisis. [Qatar, Saudi Arabia and Turkey] are fighting in the same front."

— WALID AL-MOALLEM, SYRIA'S FOREIGN MINISTER, RAILING AGAINST INTERFERENCE BY THE REGION'S SUNNI POWERS IN A RARE PUBLIC CRITICISM OF HIS MIDDLE EAST NEIGHBORS

ing a stopover in Abu Dhabi.

Saudi Arabia and Qatar have expressed willingness to help fund the rebels and they are believed to be funneling money through Turkey to the opposition, which is using it to purchase arms and equipment.

Amid fears of a massacre or a bloody final battle in Aleppo, civilians have been fleeing the city in ever greater numbers.

Videos uploaded onto the Inter-

net show deserted streets filled with rubble knocked off multi-story apartment buildings by incoming mortar shells. Shards of broken glass also litter the streets and few windows appear to be intact.

Since the rebel assault on Aleppo began a week ago, about 192 people have been killed, mostly civilians, according to the activist group Syrian Observatory for Human Rights. PAUL SCHEMM (AP)

Students: China Is 'Brainwashing'

Hong Kong

Tens of thousands of protesters paraded through Hong Kong on Sunday, waving placards denouncing "brainwashing" by China's Communist Party and calling for the scrapping of plans for "national education" courses in local schools.

The protest, organized by teachers, parents and student groups as well as local political organizations hostile to Beijing's one-party system, demonstrated deep opposition to the introduction of classes that aim to boost knowledge of and attachment to China in this freewheeling former British colony of 7.2 million.

"In China, students only learn how to praise the party."

— CYRUS CHAN, A 16-YEAR-OLD STUDENT IN HONG KONG WHO PARTICIPATED IN SUNDAY'S PROTEST

Although increasingly dependent economically on mainland China, Hong Kong, according to a recent opinion poll by Hong Kong University, now has less trust in the central government in Beijing than at any time since the 1997 handover. Separate polls show that bonds of shared identity with the rest of China have grown weaker, not stronger.

In an effort to narrow the gap, which has led to ugly outbursts of insulting rhetoric and occasional clashes, the Hong Kong government wants students to learn more about their mainland Chinese brethren. It has proposed courses to instruct pupils about China's political system, geography and history, along with the correct etiquette for raising the national flag.

Protesters on Sunday decried this as brainwashing. A group of parents and their children waved a poster reading: "Our previous generations came here to escape the Communist Party, don't let the next generation return to the grip of the demon." ANDREW HIGGINS (THE WASHINGTON POST)



POLICIES

Birth Order

Iran has a new message to parents: Get busy. In a reversal of once far-reaching family planning policies, authorities are now slashing birth-control programs in an attempt to avoid an aging population like those in many Western countries, which are struggling to keep up with state medical and social security costs. (AP)

In Brief



A cast member accompanies the Indian team at Friday's Olympic ceremonies.

LONDON

Olympic Ceremonies Interloper Miffs Indians

Indian officials are irritated after an unknown young woman dressed in red managed to march with the country's athletes and officials during the Olympic Opening Ceremonies. Organizers on Sunday said the interloper was a ceremony cast member and had been screened before entering the stadium. (AP)

BUCHAREST, ROMANIA

Officials: Referendum to Impeach President Invalid

Exit polls indicate Romanians have voted to impeach President Traian Basescu, but Romanian officials say the turnout was too low for the national referendum to be legally binding. Two exit polls said more than 80 percent voted Sunday to impeach, but referendums are invalid if less than half the electorate votes. (AP)

JERUSALEM

Report: U.S. Briefs Israel On Plans for Iran Assault

An Israeli newspaper reported Sunday that the Obama administration has briefed Israel on plans for a possible attack on Iran should sanctions fail to pressure Tehran to abandon its nuclear enrichment program. A senior Israeli official, speaking on condition of anonymity, denied the report. (AP)

SANA, YEMEN

Gunmen Seize Building

Gunmen loyal to Yemen's ex-President Ali Abdullah Saleh seized a security building in the capital Sunday before vacating it, a security official said. Saleh, Yemen's ruler for more than 30 years, left power in February after a yearlong uprising as part of a U.S.-brokered deal. (AP)

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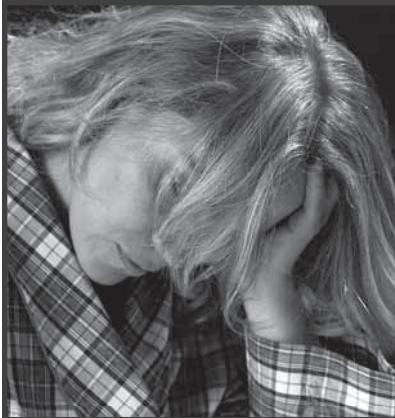
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World



Dinh Thi Hong Loan, right, embraces girlfriend Nguyen Thi Chi in Hanoi, Vietnam. The Vietnamese government is considering a proposal to allow gay couples to marry.

Vietnam Could OK Gay Marriage

If proposal is approved, the law would be first of its kind in Asia

Hanoi, Vietnam

Dinh Thi Hong Loan grasps her girlfriend's hand, and the two talk about their upcoming wedding — how they'll toast the beginning of their lives together.

The couple's marriage ceremony in the Vietnamese capital won't be officially recognized, but that could soon change. Vietnam's Communist government is now considering whether to allow same-sex couples to marry or legally register and receive rights — positioning the country to be the first in Asia to do so.

"Our love for each other is real and nothing changes regardless of whether the law is passed or not," said Loan, 31. "But when it is passed, we will definitely go get registered. I can't wait!"

Even longtime gay-rights activists are stunned by the Justice Ministry's proposal to include same-sex couples in its overhaul of the country's marriage law. No one knows what form it will take or whether it will survive long enough to be debated before the National Assembly next year, but supporters say the fact that it's even being considered is a victory in a region where

Backstory

Globally, 11 countries have legalized same-sex marriage since the Netherlands became the first to do so in 2001. In Vietnam, the same-sex marriage proposal still has several hurdles before it could become law. The Justice Ministry will consider opinions from the public along with government agencies before submitting its draft proposal to the National Assembly in May on whether to recommend same-sex marriage or some other type of legal recognition with rights. Then, it must be approved by a majority of parliament. (AP)

simply being gay can result in jail sentences or whippings.

"I think everyone is surprised," said Vien Tanjung, an Indonesian gay-rights activist. "Even if it's not successful, it's already making history. For me, personally, I think it's going to go through."

Vietnam seems an unlikely champion of gay-rights issues. It is routinely lambasted by the international community over its dismal human rights record. But over the past five years, that's started to change. Vietnam's state-run media, unable to write about politically sensitive topics, have embraced the chance to explore gay issues. MARGIE MASON (AP)

'Joker' a Gentle Giant to Friends

Md. man arrested after threat to fire guns at workplace

Washington

Neil E. Prescott's friends describe him as a "gentle giant" — a physically towering young man with a background in computers and electronics and a biting sense of humor that people close to him know to shrug off as innocuous.

But police say they had no choice but to take it seriously when Prescott threatened to shoot up his workplace and referred to himself as "a joker," comments that raised particular alarm in the wake of the July 20 mass shooting at a Colorado theater during a screening of



Backstory

FRIENDS SAY THAT OVER THE YEARS, Neil Prescott has shown deep interest in hobbies such as computer software, electronics and amateur radio. His clique of friends at one time gathered at parties to play multiplayer video games and consume the highly caffeinated Jolt cola, friend Wesley Weber said. An occasional disc jockey, he'd also spin house music at Baltimore nightclubs and was the DJ for another friend's bachelor party in 2005. In recent years, he cultivated a passion for collecting firearms, and practiced his shot at the target range. (AP)

the latest Batman movie. New York Police Commissioner Ray Kelly said the man accused in those shootings called himself the Joker — a reference to Batman's nemesis.

Prescott, 28, was taken into custody Friday at his apartment in Crofton, Md., where officers found

several thousand rounds of ammunition and a cache of about two dozen weapons including semi-automatic rifles and pistols. He was taken for an emergency psychiatric evaluation at a hospital and had not been charged as of Sunday afternoon.

Police say Prescott, an employee of a subcontractor for software and mailroom supplier Pitney Bowes, made the threats during phone conversations with a supervisor last Monday. His friends told the Associated Press that they couldn't imagine that Prescott, who was in the process of being fired or already had lost his job, intended to be taken seriously when he allegedly told the supervisor "I'm a joker and I'm gonna load my guns and blow everybody up."

"Neil's the kind of guy who had the ability to say the wrong thing at the wrong time and not mean anything by it. He thinks it's funny," said Wesley Weber, who described his 6-foot-7 friend as a "gentle giant" prone to inappropriate jokes. ERIC TUCKER (AP)

Gray: Chick-fil-A Is 'Hate Chicken'

Washington

D.C. Mayor Vincent C. Gray said Friday he would not support an expansion of Chick-fil-A.

Gray issued his statement on Twitter after mayors in Boston, Chicago and San Francisco said

the company was not welcome due to president Dan Cathy's opposition to same-sex marriage.

"Given my long standing strong support for LGBT rights and marriage equality, I would not support #hatechicken," Gray wrote.

Gray waded into the Chick-fil-A debate even though the company does not have a big presence in the city and has no known plans for expansion. A Gray spokesman said the mayor's opposition to the company does not necessarily mean it could not open another store in the city. TIM CRAIG (THE WASHINGTON POST)

High Price to Replace Ride Ons

Washington

Montgomery County faces a big bill to replace dozens of Ride On buses that were pulled off the roads this month after another bus caught fire.

The most recent fire, on July 18 in downtown Silver Spring, was the seventh involving a Ride On bus since 2009 and made the county accelerate its efforts to replace the troubled models that have accounted for the fires.

The county expects to pay a total of \$12.3 million for 28 buses to replace 62 buses that were purchased five years ago and had key components made by Champion Bus of Imlay City, Mich., and Navistar of Lisle, Ill. But the new buses, from Gillig of Hayward, Calif., will not be delivered until early next year.

No one was injured in the July 18 fire, which occurred on an out-of-service bus. But Ride On service was disrupted for several days and has been returning to normal as transportation officials reorganize their depleted fleet.



NIKKA KHAN/TWP

Ride On buses in Montgomery County have been involved in seven fires since 2009.

The county was already planning on taking the Champion and Navistar buses off the road by the end of August and had acquired 30 refurbished Metrobuses at a cost of \$5,000 per bus to help fill the expected gap in the Ride On fleet, said Bill Griffiths, Montgomery's chief of fleet management services. The first in the string of fires was in September 2009, and that led the

county to take the buses out of service for several months. A federal safety probe was launched earlier this year after the fifth such fire.

"These buses have had problems for quite a while," said Esther Bowring, a county spokeswoman. "They've just become very unreliable, and you can't run a bus service without a reliable bus." (THE WASHINGTON POST)

In Brief

WASHINGTON

Pedestrian, Motorcyclist Die in Separate Accidents

A pedestrian crossing Lee Highway in Gainesville, Va., was fatally struck and a motorcyclist in Brentsville, Va., died in a separate crash early Sunday, Prince William County police said. Officer Jonathan L. Perok, a police spokesman, said it was unusual to have two fatalities at daybreak on a Sunday. He said both accidents were under investigation, and police were withholding the names of the victims until their families could be notified. (TWP)

ARLINGTON, VA.

Jeweler Killed in Robbery

The son of a man killed during an armed robbery at an Arlington jewelry store Friday afternoon said his father was hard-working and dedicated to his family. Desmond Wong, 25, confirmed Sunday that his father, 52-year-old Tommy Wong of Herndon, Va., was slain inside his store during the robbery. Police had not officially named the victim Sunday. (AP)

FROSTBURG, MD.

Police: Man Raped Young Woman, Fired at 2 Others

Frostburg police say a man brought three women back to a home for drinks Friday evening and raped one of them, fired a handgun at all three and held one of them at gunpoint. Andrew Dash, 24, of Baltimore was arrested early Saturday, police said. (AP)

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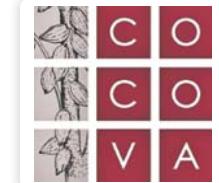


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The new E-ZPass Flex transponder will allow carpoolers to move a switch to "HOV ON," enabling them to pass through upcoming I-495 express lanes without charge.

VDOT Rolls Out E-ZPass Flex

Use this new gadget to speed commutes and curb some costs

Transportation

Operating the new E-ZPass Flex transponder, designed for drivers who will use the high-occupancy toll lanes, is simple. The updated rules on using a Virginia E-ZPass are not. Here are the answers to some basic questions:

E-ZPass Flex

What is it? The Flex is a variation on the almost 20-year-old transponder that is popular with drivers because it allows them to pay tolls automatically.

How do I use it? When the driver slides the switch to the right, the words "HOV ON" are revealed. That's the carpool setting.

Where can I use it? On the I-495 express lanes, when they open later this year on the Capital

Buying E-ZPass

Sign up for E-ZPass transponders at Ezpassva.com, call 877-762-7824, or go to the Northern Virginia Service Center (610 Herndon Pkwy. in Herndon) or the Tysons Corner Department of Motor Vehicles office (1968 Gallows Road). (TWP)

Beltway between Springfield and the Dulles Toll Road.

Who needs it? All drivers except motorcyclists will need to have the standard transponder or the Flex to use the new lanes.

How are tolls collected? Drivers who use the four new lanes on the Beltway will not see tollbooths. The transponders' information will be read when the vehicles pass under gantries along the express lanes.

What if I carpool with a standard transponder? You will be charged the toll. The electronic

monitoring system for the new lanes will not recognize you as an HOV traveler.

The Details

What's the charge for a new account? Anyone who gets a new transponder or starts a new account will be charged 50 cents a month from September through December. After that, customers with standard transponders will pay 50 cents a month and those with Flex will pay \$1 a month.

Is there a deposit? Customers are no longer required to pay a \$25 deposit when starting an account. But when they set up their accounts, they will be assessed \$35 as a prepayment of tolls.

Strategies

Is it worth it? Using the express lanes could get pricey for commuters who travel a long way on them at the height of rush hour. But every day that a driver can carpool, it will be a free ride at a reliable speed.

Should I have both transponders? If you have one vehicle, it doesn't make sense to have both transponders. If you think you will carpool, you will need the Flex to get the free ride on the Virginia express lanes. But in its regular setting, the Flex will work for paying tolls.

Should I wait on the Flex? The Flex transponders are available now, but drivers won't be able to use the carpool setting until the new lanes open. If you don't have E-ZPass now and you wanted one anyway, the Flex version gives you the option of riding free in the express lanes whenever you have at least two other people aboard. ROBERT THOMSON
(THE WASHINGTON POST)



Parkmobile Perks: Starting Monday, drivers can pay for the metered parking at the Rockville and Fort Totten Metro stations using their mobile phones. Metro will offer Parkmobile, the pay-by-phone parking system, as a pilot project to test interest and satisfaction among drivers. To use the system, drivers can register with Parkmobile at Us.parkmobile.com or download the app. Parkmobile charges a 32-cent fee per transaction. (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Hidden Tax in Health-Care Law

Certain individuals face new 3.8 percent tax on investments

Personal Finance

When the U.S. Supreme Court upheld the health-care law in June, it restoked an issue that had been relatively quiet for the past year: the 3.8 percent "real estate tax" on home sales beginning in 2013 that is said to be buried in the law.

Immediately following enactment of the law in 2010, waves of emails hit with ominous messages aimed at homeowners. A sample: "Did you know that if you sell

your house after 2012 you will pay a 3.8 percent sales tax on it?"

Once challenges to the law's constitutionality reached federal courts, the email warnings subsided. But with major portions of the law scheduled to take effect less than six months from now, questions are being raised again: Is there really a 3.8 percent transfer tax on real estate coming in 2013? Does it preempt the existing capital gains exclusions for home sellers, as some emails have claimed? Here's a quick primer:

Yes, upper-income individuals face a new 3.8 percent surtax that takes effect Jan. 1 on certain investment income, including some of

The 3.8 percent surtax is not likely to affect the vast majority of homeowners who sell their primary residences next year.

their real estate transactions. But it's not a transfer tax and it's not likely to affect the vast majority of homeowners who sell their primary residences next year. In fact, unless you have an adjusted gross income of more than \$200,000 as a

single-filing taxpayer or \$250,000 for a couple filing jointly (\$125,000 if you're married filing singly), you probably won't be touched by the surtax at all. (You might, however, be affected by other changes in the tax code if Congress fails to extend the Bush-era tax cuts scheduled to expire at the end of this year.)

Even if you have income above these thresholds, you might not be hit with the 3.8 percent tax unless you have certain types of investment income, specifically dividends, interest, net capital gains and net rental income. Definitely talk to a tax professional for advice on your specific situation. KENNETH R. HARNEY (THE WASHINGTON POST)

MARKETS

Wait and See Stock

Investors can expect Facebook's stock to be volatile for a few years. But analysts say those willing to wait will likely be rewarded. "I view it as a tomorrow stock," says Christian Bertelsen, chief investment officer at Global Financial Private Capital. Bertelsen says it could take up to four years to reap rewards. (AP)



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Settling For Silver

U.S. relay team finishes second to France as Lochte is caught on last lap

Swimming

Payback. This time, it was France chasing down the United States — and Ryan Lochte, no less — to win another riveting relay at the Olympics.

With Michael Phelps looking much stronger than he did the night before, the Americans on Sunday built a commanding lead over the first three legs of the 400-meter freestyle relay and never really had to worry about the defending world champions from Australia.

When Lochte dove into the water on the anchor leg, he was a half-body length ahead of the field and looking to add another gold to his dominating victory Saturday in the 400 individual medley.

Not so fast. Or should we say not nearly fast enough.

Yannick Agnel, playing the chaser role that Jason Lezak did for the American four years ago in this same event, sliced through the water and was right on Lochte's shoulder as they made the flip at the far end of the pool. With about 25 meters to go, they were stroke for stroke. But Lochte, who had already competed in the 200 free prelims in the morning and in the semifinals about 90 minutes earlier, simply didn't have enough left to hold off the towering, 20-year-old Frenchman.

Agnel touched in 3 minutes, 9.93 seconds, having gone exactly a second faster than Lochte over the last 100 meters.

"I gave everything in the last 50 until [Lochte] cracked," Agnel said. "In the last 10 meters, I saw that he was really cracking."



A New Champ

Dana Vollmer won a gold medal in the 100-meter butterfly at the Olympics and set a world record, too. Not bad for someone who didn't even qualify four years ago. She was third at the turn but powered to the wall for a time of 55.98 seconds, beating the record of 56.06 set by Sweden's Sarah Sjostrom in a since-banned high-tech bodysuit at the 2009 world championships. The American dropped back her head when she saw the time, then broke into a huge smile, slapped the water and pumped her fists. "I'm on top of the world right now," said Vollmer, who set an Olympic record in the semifinals to come in as the top qualifier. "I still know I can go faster."

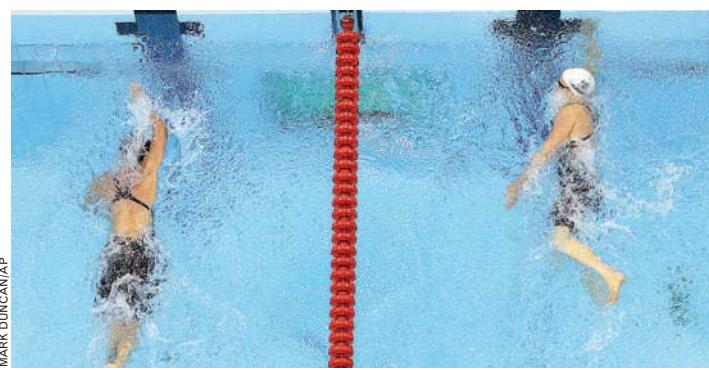
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The all-time number of medals won by Michael Phelps, who on Sunday claimed his first silver — to go along with 14 golds and two bronzes. He's one away from tying the mark for most career medals held by Soviet gymnast Larisa Latynina.

Lochte and the Americans settled for silver in 3:10.38, while Australia — the favorite — didn't even get a medal. Russia took the bronze in 3:11.41, edging the team from Down Under by 0.22 for the



U.S. swimmers Michael Phelps, Nathan Adrian and Cullen Jones watch the final lap of the men's 4x100m freestyle relay Sunday.



Meanwhile ...

Camille Muffat of France won gold in a riveting 400 freestyle duel with American Allison Schmitt, the two virtually stroke for stroke the entire way. Muffat held on to win by about half a stroke with an Olympic-record time, while Schmitt settled for silver. Britain's Rebecca Adlington brought out the biggest cheer when she touched third — the home country's first swimming medal of the games. (AP)

last spot on the podium.

France had the lead in Beijing and its best sprinter, Alain Bernard, going out on the final leg. But Lezak swam the fastest relay leg in history, drafting Bernard along the lane rope and beating him by a scant 0.08 seconds to keep Phelps on track for his record eight gold medals.

It was one of the greatest races in Olympic history. Sunday's wasn't too shabby, either.

"At least I'm in a medal today," Phelps said ruefully, referring to his fourth-place finish in his first race of the London Games.

But silver was also a bitter disappointment for the Americans, who now know how the French felt four years ago. PAUL NEWBERRY (AP)

All-Around Heartbreak for U.S.' Wieber

World champ falls short to teammates in a surprise twist

Gymnastics

The U.S. women are atop the Olympic gymnastics standings, as expected, with little standing in their way — except themselves.

More than the Russians, Romanians and Chinese, the biggest challenge for the gold medal may come from how they deal with world champion Jordyn Wieber's failure to qualify for the all-around final Sunday. She was bumped by her best friend on the very last routine.

"I'm definitely worried," national team coordinator Martha Karolyi said. "You try to find words ... what do you say?"

A heavy favorite for gymnastics'



Out
Jordyn Wieber,
the world champ
in the all-around.

"You try to find words ... she did her best. She was edged by her teammates."

— U.S. GYMNASTICS COORDINATOR
MARTHA KAROLYI, ON THE DISAPPOINTING FINISH OF JORDYN WIEBER ON SUNDAY



In
Gabby Douglas
and Aly Raisman
were Nos. 1 and 2
for the U.S.

biggest prize — and the attention and riches that go with it — Wieber lost her chance with a series of uncharacteristic mistakes. She wound up with the fourth-best individual score in qualifying, but countries are limited to two gymnasts in the all-around and event finals, and pal Aly Raisman and Gabby Douglas were ahead of her.

Russia's Viktoriya Komova, who was runner-up to Wieber at last year's world championships, is ahead of all three Americans.

The 17-year-old Wieber was sobbing as she made her way through the mixed zone, so distraught she couldn't speak to reporters. Later

on Twitter, she thanked fans for "all your love and support."

"I am so proud of our team today and I can't wait for team finals!" she wrote.

It could be a historic competition for the Americans, who breezed to the top of qualifying with a score of 181.863 points and then waited to see if Russia, Romania or defending Olympic champion China could match it.

No one came close. Russia, runner-up to the U.S. at last year's world championships, was 1.4 points back (180.429) while China (176.637) and European champion Romania (176.264) were well behind.

"We knew the Americans were going to be up there," said Rebecca Tunney of Britain, which was in the same qualifying session as the Americans. "They're going to be unbeatable." NANCY ARMOUR (AP)

Mexico Puts Its Best Foot Forward



SOCER: Mexico's Jorge Enriquez, left, kicks the ball during a match against Gabon in Coventry, England, on Sunday. Mexico rebounded from its opening loss for a 2-0 win. Meanwhile, gold medal favorite Spain was eliminated with a 1-0 loss to Honduras while Brazil and Japan booked spots in the quarterfinals with victories.

Sunday's Best

Top Dogs



Hamadou Djibo Issaka, Niger

The 35-year-old drew a big cheer as he crawled in last place to the finish line in the single sculls repechage. He learned to row three months ago — and finished nearly 1 minute, 40 seconds behind the winner — but his spirit won the crowd over.



Marianne Vos, Netherlands

Vos, who had been silver medalist five straight years at the world championships, powered through a driving rain-storm Sunday, sprinting clear of her two rivals and winning the women's road race. Britain's Elizabeth Armitstead claimed silver, the host's first medal.

"Discipline? Ha! For what! Never even a topic! We talked about our team deserving the best!"



— U.S. GOALIE HOPE SOLO, TWEETING THAT SHE WILL NOT BE PUNISHED FOR CRITICIZING (ALSO ON TWITTER) BRANDI CHASTAIN'S COMMENTARY DURING SATURDAY'S MATCH

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Olympic Primer

Medal Count



▲ 2. United States TOTAL: 11

COUNTRY	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	TOTAL
1. China	6	4	2	12
3. Italy	2	3	2	7
4. S. Korea	2	1	2	5
5. France	2	1	1	4
6. N. Korea	2	0	1	3

What to Watch

WOMEN'S BADMINTON

(6 A.M., NBCSN) American Rena Wang plays China's Xin Wang.

TENNIS

(7 A.M., BRAVO) Here's hoping the weather will be better for the tennis tournament at the All England Club.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

(11:30 A.M., NBC) The U.S. women tip off against Brazil in a rematch of an exhibition played in D.C.

WOMEN'S WATER POLO

(2:30 P.M., NBC) The U.S. plays Hungary as it starts its run for a gold medal.

MEN'S SWIMMING

(8 P.M., NBC) Ryan Lochte goes for the gold in the 200-meter freestyle.

MEN'S GYMNASTICS

(8 P.M., NBC) Jonathan Horton leads the U.S. team in the qualifying rounds.

By the Numbers

370

The number of pounds, an Olympic record, lifted by North Korea's Om Yun Chol. The 5-foot, 123-pound weightlifter became one of only a handful of people to clean-and-jerk three times his or her weight. He won the gold, a major surprise given he was competing in the "B" group with lower-ranked lifters. Om gave all the credit to Kim Jong Il, his country's leader who died last year. (AP)

U.S. Dunks the French in Opener

Durant, James score an impressive win in front of the first lady

Men's Basketball

Hardly dreamy, still dominant.

Kevin Durant scored 22 points, LeBron James added eight assists and the U.S. Olympic men's basketball team opened tournament play with a rough-and-ragged 98-71 win over France on Sunday.

Seeking a second-straight gold medal to match the one they won in Beijing four years ago, the Americans expected a tough test from a French team featuring San Antonio guard Tony Parker and five



First lady Michelle Obama and Kobe Bryant embrace after Sunday's game.

other NBA players.

The U.S. was never in real trouble, and after overcoming some major foul issues and sloppy play,

the superstar-laden squad finally put France away in the second half.

Kobe Bryant had said this team could beat the 1992 Dream Team that changed international hoops

forever at the Barcelona Games. That matchup is mythical but the London Games aren't, and this U.S. team will have to play much better in upcoming games if it plans to maintain American dominance.

Parker didn't want to concede anything, but when asked if the Americans can be beat, he took a contemplative pause before responding.

"They're going to be very, very tough to beat," Parker said.

With first lady Michelle Obama on hand to cheer for the U.S., Durant, Carmelo Anthony and Tyson Chandler added nine rebounds each. Kevin Love finished with 14 points for the Americans. As they left the floor, the U.S. players stopped to hug the first lady.

The U.S. will next play Tuesday against Tunisia, beaten 60-56 by Nigeria in the tournament opener.

Parker, playing with goggles to protect a surgically repaired left eye, scored 10 points but France, which trailed by just one point after the first quarter, fell to 0-5 in Olympic competition against the USA. (AP)

A Jumping-Off Point



WEIGHTLIFTING: Poland's Aleksandra J Klejnowska-Krzywanska reacts during the women's 53-kg, weightlifting competition Sunday. She finished seventh in the competition won by Kazakhstan's Zulfiya Chinshanlo.



Kimberly Rhode won the gold Sunday.

Rhode Hits Mark For U.S. Record

Shooting

Kimberly Rhode won the gold medal in women's skeet shooting Sunday, making her the first American to take an individual-sport medal in five consecutive Olympics.

Rhode won a gold medal in double trap at Atlanta as a teenager in 1996, took bronze in that event four years later at Sydney, reclaimed the gold at Athens in 2004 and won the silver in skeet at Beijing in 2008. In qualifying, Rhode set another Olympic record, missing only one of her 75 shots. USA Shooting touted it as the biggest day in shooting history. (AP)

Sports



Michael Morse celebrates as he circles the bases after hitting the game-tying home run in the ninth inning against Milwaukee.

MIKE MCGINNIS/GETTY IMAGES

An Extra-Special Rally

Morse powers Nats to a huge comeback win over the Brewers

The Nationals

Michael Morse hit a tying, two-run homer in the ninth inning, then delivered a two-run double in the 11th that sent the Nationals over the Milwaukee Brewers 11-10 on Sunday.

Bryce Harper drew a leadoff walk from Jose Veras (3-4) in the 11th and Ryan Zimmerman singled. One out later, Morse doubled down the left-field line for an 11-9 lead.

Morse's homer with one out in the ninth off John Axford made it

9-all. The opposite-field shot barely made it over the wall in right.

The NL East-leading Nationals rallied for four runs in the eighth to tie it at 7.

The Brewers have lost nine of 10. Milwaukee's beleaguered bullpen duo of Francisco Rodriguez and Axford each allowed three runs in failing to protect another late lead.

Craig Stammen (4-1) pitched 2 1/3 hitless innings for the victory. Tyler Clippard allowed a solo home run to Corey Hart to open the bottom of the 11th, but earned his 20th save in 22 chances.

Washington reliever Ryan Mat-

heus gave up four runs in just 1 2/3 innings, including home runs to Rickie Weeks, Norichika Aoki and Carlos Gomez.

Milwaukee starter Mark Rogers, starting in place of Zack Greinke, pitched 5 2/3 solid innings in his first major league appearance since 2010. The right-hander was the fifth pick in the June 2004 free agent draft, but had pitched only 10 innings in the majors before replacing Greinke in the rotation.

The Brewers managed only five hits in six innings off Washington starter Gio Gonzalez, but took advantage of the All-Star's wildness. Two batters who walked and another who was hit by a pitch scored, and the Brewers also scored on a bases-loaded walk. (AP)

TV Lineup

ORIOLES (7 P.M., MASN) The Orioles head to the Bronx in their first look at Ichiro Suzuki in a Yankees uniform.

PRO BASEBALL (7 P.M., ESPN) If you are not into the Olympics, there is the Texas Rangers facing the Los Angeles Angels.

Orioles Cool Off Red-Hot A's, 6-1

Pro Baseball

Rookie Wei-Yin Chen struck out a career-high 12, Matt Wieters hit a three-run homer and the Orioles beat the Oakland Athletics 6-1 Sunday to avoid a three-game sweep.

It was a rare setback for the A's, who fell to 18-4 this month

and 12-3 since the All-Star break. The Athletics need to win one of their next two games to complete the best July in franchise history. Chen (9-6) allowed one unearned run, three hits and four walks in 5 2/3 innings against a torrid Oakland team that had scored 40 runs in its previous four games. (AP)

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Sports

Fish Forgoes Olympics for D.C. Tournament

American continues comeback after heart arrhythmia diagnosis

Tennis

The last time Mardy Fish rolled through D.C., he was overhauling his game with a renewed dedication to fitness in the wake of a serious knee injury. Those efforts catapulted him up the rankings and into the top 10

for the first time in his career.

This week, Fish returns as the marquee attraction at the newly rebranded Citi Open tennis tournament. But once again, his visit coincides with a critical transition.

Fish, who holds the top seed in the draw, missed the entire clay court season after he had heart arrhythmia diagnosed. Following an inspiring run to the round of 16 at Wimbledon last month — his first action since surgery in May — the



Mardy Fish, ranked No. 13 in the world, won three matches at Wimbledon.

30-year-old tour veteran is still trying to work his way back into form, both physically and mentally.

Rather than join the rest of the top-ranked players at the London Olympics, Fish — who won silver at the Athens Games — opted to stay home to get a jump on the hard-court season. "Playing in the States is my most fun time of year — playing in the summer, playing in the heat," said Fish, currently ranked 13th in the world. "And I

didn't want to miss that."

Fish returned to the court last month at Wimbledon, won his first three matches and took the opening set from eventual semifinalist Jo-Wilfried Tsonga before falling in a rain-interrupted match.

"Obviously what he went through has been tremendously scary for him," said former U.S. Davis Cup captain Patrick McEnroe. "If he can have success in D.C. and do well at the Masters, he can definitely get back to the level he was playing at last year."

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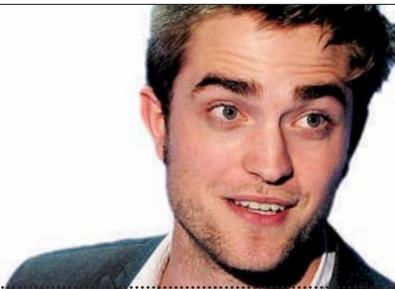
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Bad Moon Rising

Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart aren't speaking, sources say. **31**



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Calendar

Don't Miss Out

Here are the remaining shows in the summer concert season at Fort Dupont Park:

Aug. 4 "In Gratitude: A Tribute to Earth, Wind & Fire" featuring the Graingers, WaWa LaGrande, Gene McBride, Eddie Baccus and Greg Boyer; Mousey Thompson and the James Brown Experience; Jeffrey Walker

Aug. 11 Al Johnson and His A-Team; Peaches and Herb; Skip Mahony and the Casuals; HALO

Aug. 18 Klymaxx featuring Bernadette Cooper; Be'lA Dona

Fort Dupont Park is at 3600 F St. SE. Concerts begin Saturdays at 7:30 or 8 p.m., depending on the date. Admission is free.

how jazz singer Roy Ayers put it in "Ft. Dupont Park," a song he wrote about this place in 2004.

"I have had some great experiences there," Ayers says. "It's a great atmosphere for the summertime where people can go and just let out their frustrations."

Four hours before showtime, Evans rolls down the windows of his SUV and pumps Ayers' anthem from the speakers. Its syrup-sticky melodies carry over to Kenneth and Raydean Thomas of Fort Washington who have pitched a half tent on the hill's summit.

The couple have been coming for a decade, lounging in their lawn chairs until the sun sinks down and the music fires up. Like so many Fort Dupont faithful, they first learned of these concerts by word of mouth.

"D.C.'s biggest, best-kept secret," Raydean says. "That's what it is."

CHRIS RICHARDS (THE WASHINGTON POST)

D.C.'s Best-Kept Summer Secret

Fort Dupont Park's free concerts are still going strong after 40 years

Music

With an afternoon mist falling on Fort Dupont Park in Southeast D.C., the band takes the Summer Theatre stage for sound check. The procedural thump of the kick drum seems to flush dragonflies out from the neighboring tree line.

Up the hill, different sounds. Ice sloshing around Igloo coolers. Two-

liter bottles of Pepsi hissing open. It's 3 p.m. and a dozen or so have arrived to claim their spots on the sloping lawn. Each summer, they spend six consecutive Saturdays at Fort Dupont picnicking, partying, cutting up and getting down. With casual pride, they call themselves "the Hillside Crew."

This summer marks 40 years of free concerts at Fort Dupont Park. (The concerts are funded by a National Park Service program.) Carlos Evans remembers 38 of them.

"The trees you see down there used to be about this tall," he says, tapping the brim of his ballcap. He's seen too

many acts from the top of this hill to count. Gil Scott-Heron. Mother's Finest. Bobbi Humphrey. Stacy Lattisaw. The Ohio Players. Zapp. Jill Scott.

Too many people to count, too. These days, Fort Dupont's biggest concerts quietly draw 11,000 fans, and everybody seems to know everybody else. Leave your blanket. Nobody's gonna mess with your stuff. The closest thing to violence anyone in the Hillside Crew has ever seen at Fort Dupont was a man shaking his groove thing so hard, he slipped and went somersaulting down the slope.

"The party to remember." That's



'Family' Sticks Together: The stars of "Modern Family" have reached new contracts to keep working on the Emmy-winning sitcom, ending a dispute that had threatened to spill over into a courtroom. The deals cover stars Sofia Vergara, left; Ed O'Neill; Julie Bowen; Ty Burrell; Eric Stonestreet; and Jesse Tyler Ferguson. The actors had filed suit, claiming that their contracts were illegal because they bound them to the show for more than seven years. The lawsuit will be dropped. (AP)

lookout entertainment



like these days?

The film's subjects — from Carmen Dell'Orefice, who has modeled since 1947; to '70s glam queens such as Jerry Hall and Lisa Taylor; to more recent phenoms such as Christy Turlington — unload everything that's on their minds about the profession, which often makes it seem as though they're not really talking about anything, and instead partaking in a fashion-centric session of free association.

"Why shouldn't we be allowed to age? When I turned 50, I felt a sense of achievement."

— JERRY HALL IN "ABOUT FACE."

This meandering approach does manage to excavate some fascinating tales and memories.

"It was never really me," says Paulina Porizkova, 47. "Working off your looks makes you pretty much the opposite of self-confident. So maybe I became beautiful when I stopped modeling."

Hall, looking fabulous at 56, is brash about mortality. "We all know [death] is coming, and it's a *borrre*," she tells the filmmaker. "Why shouldn't we be allowed to age? When I turned 50, I felt a sense of achievement."

Survival, in any form, really does seem to be the takeaway here.

HANK STUEVER (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Piracy Is Rampant Off-Line

Music

File-sharing blog TorrentFreak is touting what it says is a leaked slide from a presentation by the Recording Industry Association of America that suggests online file-sharing today accounts for just 15 percent of all music acquired by U.S. consumers.

Instead, the two largest sources of unpaid music are "hard drive trading" and "burning/ripping from others," at 19 percent and 27 percent, respectively. In other words, people get their free music from their friends, not the Internet.

WILL OREMUS (SLATE)

27%

The amount of music U.S. consumers acquire from burning or ripping from others, according to a report by the Recording Industry Association of America. (SLATE)

Model Reflection

In 'About Face,' aging supermodels discuss all aspects of their shared profession

Television Review

**HBO
9:00** Empathy for supermodels isn't easy to muster, especially when their idea of suffering and personal travail seems so exquisite and remote.

Photographer Timothy Greenfield-Sanders' film "About Face: Supermodels Then and Now" (airing Monday on HBO) attempts to

bridge some of the chasm between these famous beauties and the rest of us. The filmmaker hunts down several of the biggest names in modeling from decades ago to collect their thoughts on the profession and discover how they've dealt with the inevitabilities of age. There are some tender moments and honest reflections.

As with many documentaries about fashion folk, though, a certain antiseptic quality is always present, making it difficult for the narrative to arrive at a solid theme: Is the fashion world a wonderful thing or a cultural travesty? Is this

Pictured Above

Some of the women in "About Face: Supermodels Then and Now" are, top row: Patti Hansen, Nancy Donahue, Carol Alt, Lisa Taylor and Esme Marshall; second row: Karen Bjornson, Christie Brinkley, Kim Alexis, Kelly Emberg and Cheryl Tiegs; and bottom row: Dayle Haddon and Beverly Johnson.

a movie about the rigors of modeling? A lost era? The false promises (and rejuvenating hopes) of plastic surgery?

Or, in the end, do we just want to know what Cheryl Tiegs looks

Today's Top Stops

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NANCY NEIL



1 Toad-ally '90s To recovering '90s teens, the sudden nostalgia for that era can be disconcerting. We're wearing Santa Fe prints again? Toad the Wet Sprocket is on tour and cutting a new album? But let's not front, aging WHFS fans: Toad had some good radio hits. "Fall Down," off the platinum disc "Dulcinea," was one of the peppiest, angriest things on the airwaves in 1994. *Rams Head On Stage*, 33 West St., Annapolis; Mon., 6 & 9 p.m., \$46; 410-268-4545, Ramsheadonstage.com.

2 Pink & Pop With the resurgence of EDM and nu-rave and a lot of new bands basically sounding like Nine Inch Nails being dropped down a laundry chute, it's nice to meet a sweet English electropop band in the mold of the Big Pink. Their debut, 2009's "A Brief History of Love," charted stateside with the splashy single "Dominoes." The follow-up, "Future This," features equally shimmery, mellow tunes. *Rock and Roll Hotel*, 1353 H St. NE; Mon., 8 p.m., \$15; 202-388-7625, Rockandrollhoteldc.com.

3 Guitar Heroes The Allman Brothers Band has been playing without guitarist Duane Allman for so long now, it's easy to forget how instrumental he was to the group's sound. Thankfully, axe men such as Derek Trucks, left, and Warren Haynes, right, keep his tradition alive. *Merriweather Post Pavilion*, 10475 Little Patuxent Pkwy., Columbia, Md.; with Santana; Mon., 5 p.m., \$45-\$125; 410-715-5550, Merriweathermusic.com.

TV tonight lookout

Best Bets

BRAVO
9:00

The Real Housewives of New York City In Miami, Sonja goes on a date with Aviva's sex-addicted father, and they're joined by Aviva, right; Carole; Ramona, left; and their husbands. Later, Aviva asks Sonja for advice on dealing with Ramona. While shopping in New York, Carole calls out LuAnn for asking to borrow dresses.

PBS
9:00

Market Warriors A hunt for old ads brings the pickers to an antiques market near soft drink giant Coca-Cola's hometown of Atlanta. There, they do find a cola sign, but it's even more rare than a Coke piece.

FAM
9:00

Bunheads Michelle (Sutton Foster, right) lets the dance students change clothes in her house when the studio springs a leak, but she has cause to regret that when one of the girls steals from her and lies about it.

TNT
10:00

Perception Someone with a possible connection to a murder leaves a coded message in a newspaper. As Pierce (Eric McCormack) tries to crack the code and solve the case, he realizes another life could be in danger. (TRIBUNE MEDIA)



ANIMAL PLANET

OFF THE HOOK: EXTREME CATCHES

The Ultimate Fisherman

DSC
9:00

Avid fisherman and pro wrestler "Showtime" Eric Young, above, traverses the country in search of some of the most creative, unusual and extreme fishing rituals. From fishing for massive bass from a kayak speeding through Texas rapids to shark fishing in Florida, where anglers use nothing but a pair of panty hose to catch 300-pounders, Young is determined to keep the adventure going until he catches the ultimate fish. (TM)

Drama

Exit Strategy

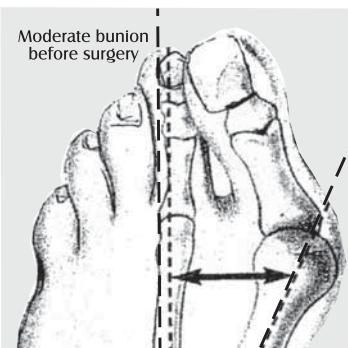
With three episodes of "The Closer" (9 p.m., TNT) left, Brenda (Kyra Sedgwick, below) continues to find plenty of ways to explain a sudden exit from the force. Tonight she tangles with a higher power when church officials get in the way of investigating a priest's murder. And it doesn't help when her brash manner disrespects Pope (J.K. Simmons). (UNIVERSAL UCLICK)



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Ryan May, Susan Sanford

Ryan, 28, is a consultant for the Department of Defense. Susan, 32, works for the State Department. They live in Washington.

THE MAIN EVENT: They'll say their vows Aug. 19 in Livermore, Calif. Shortly after, Susan's job is taking her to Papua New Guinea for two years; Ryan will follow her there. **HOW THEY MET:** At a happy hour. A friend of Susan's approached Ryan (a complete stranger) and told him to talk to Susan.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS: "His opening line? 'Hi, I'm Ryan.' Genius."



Dan Fols, Jessica McClugherty

Dan, 25, is an HVAC technician. Jessica, 25, is an interior designer. They live in Centreville, Va.

THE MAIN EVENT: On Aug. 25, they'll wed at Meadowlark Botanical Gardens in Vienna, Va.

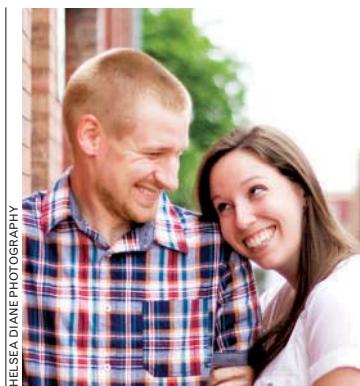
HOW THEY MET: As students at Vir-

ginia Commonwealth University. They initially didn't hit it off, because she beat him in beer pong "and rubbed it in his face a little bit."

FIRST DATE: He invited her over for a homemade dinner; she brought lava cakes for dessert.

FIRST KISS: After their date, he walked her home through drizzle. "It was almost out of a movie," he says. "I now completely understand when some people say they felt fireworks."

HOW HE PROPOSED: In the rain (how



CHELSEA DANE PHOTOGRAPHY

FIRST DATE: Veritas, a wine bar in Dupont Circle.

HOW HE PROPOSED: At a winery in Virginia.

MOST HATED CLOTHING ITEM: Her "horrendous fake diamond beaded Rocawear velour jumpsuit."

MOST STUPID FIGHT: Whether to send their nonexistent children to public or private school. "We're both big planners, so we can sometimes overthink a scenario," she says.

PET NAMES: "I call her any name that begins with 'S.' Susan Sarandon, Sally Field, Sarah Jessica Parker and Sally Jessy Raphael."

WEDDING JITTERS: "I just started having nightmares that my hair and makeup person refused to do my hair and makeup," Susan says.



Gabriel Gaskins, Christie Mack

Gabriel, 27, is a sergeant in the U.S. Army. Christie, 27, works for the Department of Justice. They will live in Maryland once they are married.

THE MAIN EVENT: A Sept. 1 wedding at a Baptist church in D.C.

HOW THEY MET: Honors chemistry at Archbishop Carroll High School. "We never said anything to each other, but I noticed her." They reconnected on Facebook when he was deployed in Afghanistan.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS: "He was quiet and shy in person, which was the opposite of how he portrayed himself on Facebook. It's a good thing he's good-looking and smart because he has no game!"

FIRST DATE: "Avatar." She got a headache from the 3-D and watched most of the movie without the glasses.

HOW HE PROPOSED: On a carriage ride through Central Park. The ring was a size too small and got stuck on her finger.

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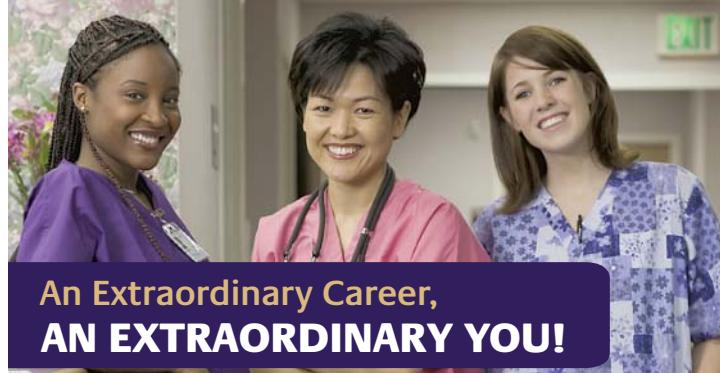
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Blog Log



“The argument will rage again as to whether CNN needs to be more provocative and political, or if it merely needs to attack its serious, hard-news niche better.”

— WEBLOGS.VARIETY.COM/BLTV
thinks big questions are in order at the news network after news chief Jim Walton quit Friday, acknowledging in his resignation, “this company needs some new thinking.”

“Will ‘Cloud Atlas’ be the next ‘Inception’?

The lavish cinematisation of David Mitchell’s sci-fi yarn could become the first genuine art-house blockbuster.

But will it?”

— GUARDIAN.CO.UK/FILM/FILMBLOG
thinks the trailer for the upcoming adaptation of the popular novel, which features Tom Hanks, Hugh Grant and Halle Berry, shows the film has the potential to be a critical and box-office success.

“While it would have been expected and just fine to have a David Beckham or Roger Bannister light the torch, Great Britain decided to give some lucky youth athletes a moment they will never forget. ... Having these teenagers light the torch serves as a celebration of all the new young talent that comes into the games every four years.”

— BLEACHERREPORT.COM thought the Olympic host country’s decision to have seven teenage athletes light the Olympic cauldron during Friday’s Opening Ceremonies was a moment that will be hard to top at future Games.

“In New York City, it didn’t seem all that different from a regular thunderstorm, except that people on Twitter were way more excited about it. But not everyone employed the Power of Social Media to lay bare their soul’s most primal fears of getting rained on. A bunch of people were too busy having sex.”

— Caity Weaver at GAWKER.COM points out that the derecho that hit the Big Apple on Friday night — not very similar to the storm that struck the D.C. area June 29 besides in name — probably inspired many to get it on based on a new survey by Trojan condoms that found 7 in 10 Americans have had sex in extreme weather “ranging from a thunderstorm to a tornado.”

“I certainly don’t envy the filmmaker who has to follow in Nolan’s footsteps when it comes to the Batman franchise. ... The Batman’s future is uncertain. But I can assure you this: We’ll all be paying attention.”

— FANDANGO.COM/MOVIEBLOG
responds to a letter by Batman trilogy director Christopher Nolan bidding farewell to the franchise.



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LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You'll be more than willing to go along for the ride today — especially if that certain someone is in the driver's seat.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You and a rival may be exerting influence over others in an attempt to wrest power from each other. Is it worth it?

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) You may be threatened by someone who doesn't understand how you may react when you realize what is going on. Keep things in proportion.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You can make a dream come true — or, at the very least, see what it would be like if it were to come true eventually.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) You may uncover the truth about someone's recent activities. Is it time to alert the authorities? Not quite yet.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You'll get the message that another is sending out to you, but it may lose something in the translation.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) You may find yourself in a situation reminiscent of one that really put you to an emotional test not long ago.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Make a few minor changes to the way things are done at home or work to ease tensions and increase your rate of return.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You may have to take evasive action of some sort in order to dodge a threat that comes to you from a surprising source.

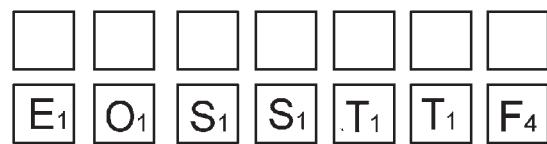
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You've been impressing those around you with your technical skill, and today you may be asked to become more deeply involved.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may not want to commit fully to something that is still in the planning stages, but keep your eyes on its progress and reassess.

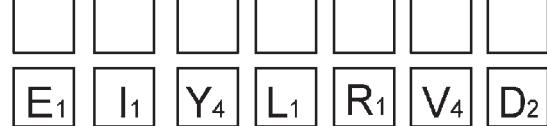
CANCER (June 21-July 22) The simpler you are in your self-expression today, the more likely you will be to gain ground in a difficult area. Don't overcomplicate matters.

Scrabble Grams

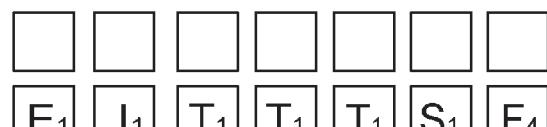
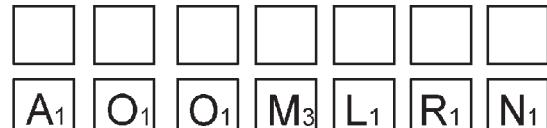
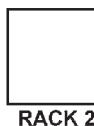
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3rd Letter Double



Triple Word Score



Yesterday's Solution

R ₁	E ₁	F ₄	L ₁	O ₁	W ₄	N ₁
E ₁	X ₈	P ₃	R ₁	E ₁	S ₁	S ₁
P ₃	L ₁	U ₁	R ₁	A ₁	L ₁	
F ₄	I ₁	X ₈	T ₁	U ₁	R ₁	E ₁

RACK 1 = 63
RACK 2 = 72
RACK 3 = 8
RACK 4 = 84
TOTAL = 227
PAR SCORE 155-165

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6				9	7		8	3
	1			5	8	6	2	
3	5			4	2	9		
	9			2	3		1	
				5	4			
4				9	7		3	
				9	4	3		7
	8	4	7	6			5	
5	7		2	8			6	

Friday's Solution

1	5	8	2	9	7	4	3	6
4	9	2	8	6	3	5	1	7
6	7	3	4	5	1	8	2	9
3	6	1	5	4	2	7	9	8
7	2	5	3	8	9	1	6	4
8	4	9	1	7	6	2	5	3
2	3	7	9	1	4	6	8	5
9	8	6	7	2	5	3	4	1
5	1	4	6	3	8	9	7	2

Need more Sudoku?
Find another puzzle in the Comics section of The Post every Sunday and in the Style section Monday through Saturday.

Forecast



89 | 73

Today: A thunderstorm this afternoon; warm and humid. A thunderstorm tonight.



85 | 74

Tomorrow: A couple of showers and a thunderstorm tomorrow and tomorrow night.



Looking Ahead
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95 | 74 | 93 | 75 | 94 | 74

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today: 6:08 a.m.
Sunset today: 8:21 p.m.
Moonrise today: 6:19 p.m.
Moonset today: 3:20 a.m.
Normal high: 88
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Normal low: 71
Record low: 58

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Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Hardly a hit
- 5 Ragout of roasted game
- 10 Togo's capital
- 14 Brook
- 15 All washed up?
- 16 Curve-billed wader
- 17 It can put you in an awkward position
- 18 Indian princesses
- 19 Battery unit
- 20 Chinese, Haitians and Cubans, e.g.
- 21 Concludes
- 22 Wander (with "about")
- 23 Spills hot coffee on
- 24 Take care of, as a bar
- 30 "Be Prepared" org.
- 33 Writer Horatio
- 34 Place to play old records
- 35 Fair grades
- 36 Troops led by George Washington
- 38 GPS suggestions
- 40 Fly ball trajectories
- 41 Golfer Els
- 42 Therapeutic sounds
- 43 Easy gait
- 44 Bear witness to
- 45 Mayonnaise container
- 46 Fox or Rabbit, to Uncle Remus
- 47 Climate change
- 53 Walked off with
- 54 Poke fun at
- 55 Two-thirds of D.I.Y.
- 57 Fish-eating bird
- 58 Rain gutter locales
- 59 Hackman of "Hoosiers"
- 60 Easter egg decorator
- 61 Hardy form of wheat
- 62 "If all ___ fails..."

DOWN

- 1 One kind of cook
- 2 Detroit football player
- 3 First name in Russian gymnastics
- 4 Blood bits
- 5 Young codfishes
- 6 Jackson and Arkin
- 7 She played Glinda in "The Wiz"
- 8 Drop in a letterbox
- 9 Military rank indicator
- 10 Fuming mad
- 11 Pitch-setting instrument
- 12 Units of wire thickness
- 13 Winter hours in NYC
- 21 Short-tailed lemur
- 22 Trace
- 25 Pelvic bones
- 26 Material for some car seats
- 27 Choreographer de Mille
- 28 Add a bit of color

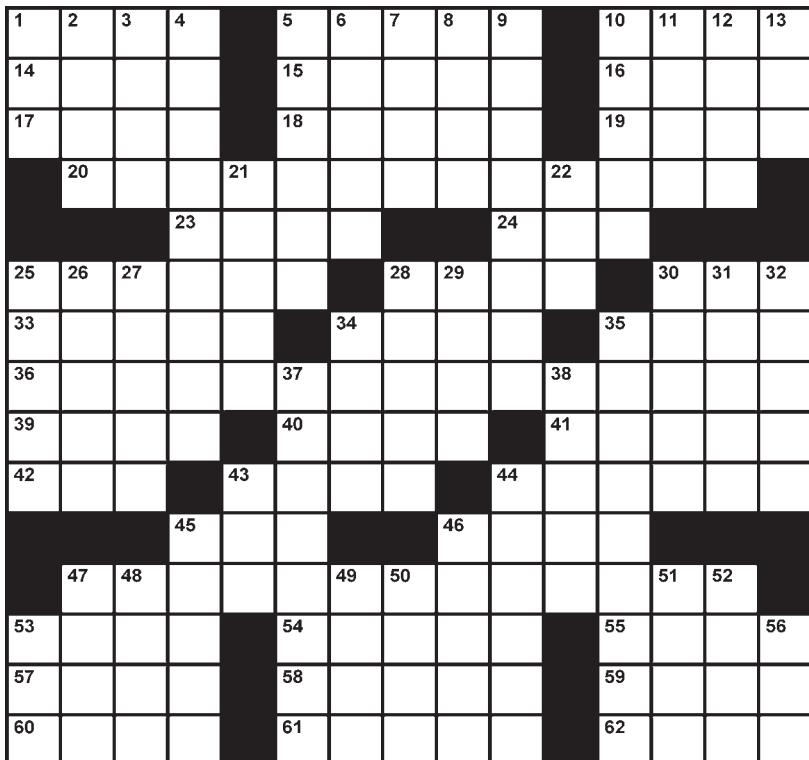
Today in History

1729 The city of Baltimore, Md. is founded to include the Town of Baltimore, Jonestown and Fells Point.

1932 The Summer Olympic Games open in Los Angeles. Many athletes and countries can not afford to participate due to the Great Depression.

1965 President Lyndon B. Johnson signs the Medicare bill, which will go into effect the following year.

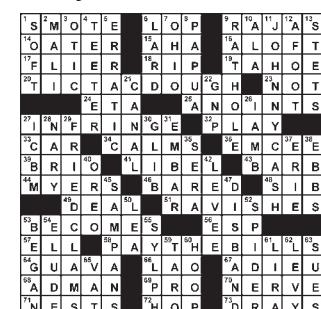
POPULATION EXPLOSION



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|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 4 Blood bits | 29 Immature amphibians | 50 Surfer's need |
| 5 Young codfishes | 30 Capital of Switzerland | 51 "Silent Night," e.g. |
| 6 Jackson and Arkin | (Var.) | 52 Cotton deseeders |
| 7 She played Glinda in "The Wiz" | 31 Eighteen-wheelers | 53 Baseball legend Williams |
| 8 Drop in a letterbox | 32 Up to the present time | 56 Golf prop |
| 9 Military rank indicator | 34 Purple Heart recipient | |
| 10 Fuming mad | 35 Ink or bullet holder | |
| 11 Pitch-setting instrument | 37 Adds commentary to | |
| 12 Units of wire thickness | 38 "___ In" (McCartney tune) | |
| 13 Winter hours in NYC | 43 Something to run up or pick up | |
| 21 Short-tailed lemur | 44 Take to the clink | |
| 22 Trace | 45 "Wild" one in a deck | |
| 25 Pelvic bones | 46 German-speaking Swiss city | |
| 26 Material for some car seats | 47 Bloodcurdling | |
| 27 Choreographer de Mille | 48 The ___ Ranger | |
| 28 Add a bit of color | 49 Do a grand jeté | |

Friday's Solution



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'If I Go to College, They'll Just Criticize Me. Might As Well Waste My Life'

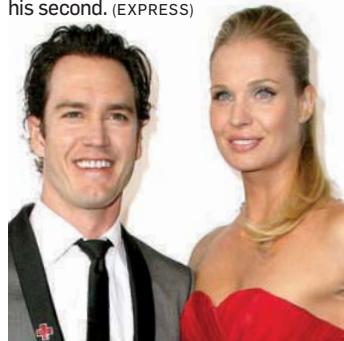
Bristol Palin told the Television Critics Association that she's joining "Dancing With the Stars" for its all-star season because critics "are going to be talking about us either way. I might as well be doing something enjoyable and fun." She continued: "It's not about politics. It's not about traditional marriage or anything like that." (EXPRESS)



VERY LOGICAL

Another Star Chooses to Marry Person Who Doesn't Act Out Love Scenes With Other People as Part of Job

Mark-Paul Gosselaar married advertising executive Catriona McGinn on Saturday at Sunstone Winery in Santa Ynez, Calif., various sources reported. The "Saved by the Bell" star, 38, proposed in July of 2011. He has two children from his first marriage; this is his second. (EXPRESS)



Matthew McConaughey and Matt Damon also have nonfamous wives.

Lame Excuses

It's the Thought That Counts?

Russell Brand told the Television Critics Association that Daniel Tosh and Dane Cook have been criticized too harshly for jokes about rape and the Aurora, Colo., shootings, respectively. "They are nice human beings," Brand said. "I can't imagine they had any intention other than eliciting laughter from their fellow human beings." (EXPRESS)



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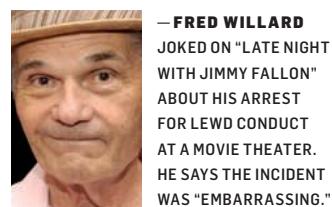
'R.Patz: Breaking Down, Part 1'

Multiple sources report that Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart are not on speaking terms following news of Stewart's fling with a director. Both have moved out of the home they shared, according to People.com; TMZ.com published a photo of a U-Haul outside the house. People.com suggested that Pattinson was planning to propose soon. Whatever happens, there's no escaping the "Breaking Dawn: Part 2" press tour this fall. (EXPRESS)

REVISING HISTORY When Can We Start Calling Her 'Suri Holmes'?

Katie Holmes took her daughter, Suri Cruise, to the Bronx Zoo on Saturday, Usmagazine.com reported. Holmes was spotted taking iPhone photos of Suri, who was fascinated by the giraffes on view. The night before, Holmes had dinner out with her lawyer, Jonathan Wolfe. Paparazzi snapped pictures of her kissing him on the cheek, causing mass chaos. (EXPRESS)

"It's the last time I'm going to listen to my wife when she says, 'Why don't you go and see a movie?'"



—FRED WILLARD
JOINED ON "LATE NIGHT WITH JIMMY FALLON" ABOUT HIS ARREST FOR LEWD CONDUCT AT A MOVIE THEATER. HE SAYS THE INCIDENT WAS "EMBARRASSING."

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